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INTE			APPLICATION NO. 2003/001374	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 4 September 2003	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 4 September 2002								
TITL	E OF	INVEN	ITION	FASTENING DEVICE FOR A SNOW	BOARD BRAKE								
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App	licant	herewit	th submits to the Unite	ed States Designated/Elected Office (DO/E	EO/US) the following items and other information:								
1. This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.													
2.		This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.											
3.	\boxtimes	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.											
4.	\boxtimes	The U.S. has been elected (Article 31).											
5.	A co	opy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2).											
	a.	is attached hereto (7 pages specification, claims & abstract (18 claims), 8 sheets drawings).											
	b.	has been communicated by the International Bureau.											
	c.	is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).											
6.	\boxtimes	An En	glish language transla	ation of the International Application as file	d (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)								
	a.	is attached hereto (7 pages specification, claims & abstract (18 claims), 8 sheets drawings).											
	b.	has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).											
7.		Amen	dments to the claims	of the International Application under PCT	Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)								
	a.	□ a	are attached hereto (re	equired only if not communicated by the In	nternational Bureau).								
	b.		nave been communica	ated by the International Bureau.									
	C.	have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.											
	d.	have not been made and will not be made.											
8.		An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3).											
9.	a.	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4).											
	b. Declaration was submitted to the International Bureau during International Phase (see copies of Declaration (Form PCT/RO/101 and Form PCT/IB/371 and first page of printed publication acknowledging receipt thereof attached).												
10. U.S.	.C. 37	1(c)(5).	•	ation of the annexes of the International Pr	reliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35								
11.	\boxtimes	An Inf	ormation Disclosure S	statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 1.98.									
12.	\boxtimes	An ass	signment document fo	or recording. A separate cover sheet in co	empliance with 37 C.F.R. 3.28 and 3.31 is included.								
13.	a. b.		A FIRST preliminary a	mendment. EQUENT preliminary amendment.									
14.	î			under 37 C.F.R. § 1.76.									
15.		-	stitute specification.										
16.			·	ey and/or address letter.									
17.			A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821-1.825.										
18.] [A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).										
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19.	M	A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).											

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